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17TH EDITION The Inquirer Group hot air balloon prepares to take off during Thursday's kick-off of the four-day Philippine International Hot Air Balloon Festival at Clark Freeport in Pampanga province. The festival, which draws tens of thousands of foreign and local tourists, has attracted 28 balloonists from Asia, the Pacific, Europe and the United States. (See story below.)

PHILIPPINE DAILY INQUIRER
BALANCED NEWS, FEARLESS VIEWS

TRO on Corona dollars

'Corona has ₱12M in BPI checking account'

By Michael Lim Ubac

CHIEF JUSTICE Renato Corona maintained a multimillion-peso checking account with Bank of the Philippine Islands (BPI)-Ayala Avenue branch in Makati City, the manager of the branch said yesterday.

The checking account, also an Express Teller checking account, had a balance of P12,024,067.70, as of Dec. 31, 2010, said Leonora Dizon, branch manager of BPI-Ayala Avenue.

Dizon made this disclosure when she appeared before the Senate impeachment court, two days after she was subpoenaed by the Senate to disclose BPI bank records of the Chief Justice.

Dizon's disclosure came a day after another bank official, Philippine Savings Bank (PSBank) president Pascual Garcia III, told senator-judges that Corona kept at least P24.6 mil-

CORONA / A17

Prosecution: CJ has more cash stashed in banks / A17

Senators voice misgivings over high court order



ISN'T IT ROMANTIC? Impeached Chief Justice Renato Corona waves to supporters who gathered on Thursday outside the Supreme Court building in Manila to call for a stop to the impeachment trial. At left, former President Ferdinand Marcos and First Lady Imelda before The Fall.

By Jerome Aning and TJ Burgonio

VOTING 8-5, the Supreme Court yesterday stopped the Senate impeachment court from compelling Philippine Savings Bank (PSBank) officials to disclose information on Chief Justice Renato Corona's foreign currency deposits.

Although the impeachment court has yet to officially take cognizance of the TRO issued by the high court, Senate President Juan Ponce Enrile "in deference to the Supreme Court" cautioned the contending camps against touching on issues related to Corona's foreign currency deposits.

"The court took into consideration the law on foreign currency deposits. The dissenters are of the opinion that a temporary restraining order should not be issued. The TRO is indef-

TRO ISSUED / A8

Bernas: SC, Senate court, equals / A8

BSP probing leakage of CJ's bank records

By Cathy C. Yamsuan

THE BANGKO Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) is investigating the alleged leakage of documents pertaining to Chief Justice Renato Corona's deposits with Philippine Savings Bank (PSBank) branch on Katipunan Avenue, Quezon City, Senate President Juan Ponce Enrile yesterday said.

Enrile made the announcement as senator-judges grilled PSBank president Pascual Garcia III on how prosecutors of the House of Representatives were able to obtain copies of the signature cards that Corona signed when he first opened an account with the branch.

House prosecutors sitting in the Senate session hall bristled and ribbed each other uncomfortably after Enrile's disclosure.

The Senate President noted that the subpoena issued by the impeachment court to PSBank was "based on alleged documents anonymously given to the prosecution."

"In fact we do not know these

BSP PROBING / A8

INC-led rally cheers up tearful Coronas / A18



Pinoy about to lose world's shortest man title to Nepali

FILIPINO Junrey Balawing, standing at 59.93 centimeters (23.59 inches or almost 2 feet), is about to lose the distinction of being the world's shortest man, but he is fading away with flourish.

In the next few weeks, he is flying to Italy to rub elbows—literally, if he can—with the world's tallest man, who towers at 251.46 centimeters (8 feet 3 inches).

The son of a blacksmith in Sindangan, Zamboanga del Norte, the

PINOY / A11

Rescuers led by the nose to find survivors

By Nestor P. Burgos Jr. and Alex V. Pal
Inquirer Visayas

GUIHULNGAN CITY—Soldiers digging through mounds of loose earth and boulders in a landslide-hit village here found the remains of a victim yesterday amid fears that chances of finding survivors had become slim.

Local officials and the commander of the soldiers at the forefront of the search and retrieval operations following Monday's strong earthquake in Negros Oriental, however, said they were not yet giving up hope.

In Solonggon, rescuers will be using their noses in looking for landslide survivors. "The smell (from the bodies) is overwhelming," said Alejandro Somosa, leader of the Negros Oriental Search and Rescue (Nosar).

"We will continue our operations as long as these take. We will only stop if

RESCUERS / A11

GSIS sets P20,000 loan to help members in Visayas • 3 'virtual ghost towns' residents refuse to go home / A11



BACK-TO-BACK HOE Soldiers backed up by a backhoe dig for bodies during search and rescue operations in Barangay Solonggon, La Libertad, Negros Oriental, on Wednesday. About 70 people are reported to be still missing.

Hot air balloons color skies, lift up spirits

By Jun Malig
Inquirer Central Luzon

CLARK FREEPORT—Three years after the destructive 1991 eruptions of Mt. Pinatubo, residents of Angeles City and Mabalacat in Pampanga province woke up to awe on seeing gigantic balloons of different colors gliding in the sky.

"I just got up from my bed when I heard children outside shouting. They were running and pointing at the sky. When I raised my head, I saw this big balloon above," recalled Edgar Cunanan, 44, a resident of Dau in Mabalacat.

"It was really big. My neighbors also went out of their hous-

AIR BALLOONS / A18

Second FRONTPAGE

WEATHER FORECAST

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US wants access, not bases

State dep't exec here for talks

THE UNITED States is seeking more access to Philippine ports and airfields to refuel and service its warships and planes, diplomatic and military sources said, expanding its presence at a time of tension with China in the South China Sea.

Reuters

Rights victims compensation on track

By Leila B. Salaverria

VICTIMS of human rights abuse during the Marcos martial law regime may be a step closer to receiving state compensation for their suffering.

The House of Representatives appropriations committee has approved a bill providing compensation to the human rights victims, which means the proposed law would now be scheduled for plenary debate before it is presented for passage on second reading.

Bohol Rep. Rene Relampagos, chair of the human rights committee, said the bill had been a long time coming. The regime of the late dictator Ferdinand Marcos, who imposed martial law in 1972, ended in 1986.

"This bill has been pending in the legislative mill for a long time. Most of the victims are old, some have died. They remain prejudiced the longer they do not get what is due them," Relampagos said in a statement.

Under the bill, the monetary compensation the human rights victims would receive would come from the recovered ill-gotten wealth of Marcos and his family.

A human rights compensation fund and a human rights victims compensation board would also be established. The proposed amount for the compensation fund is P10 billion.

The board would be tasked with evaluating and approving compensation claims.

The amount of compensation victims would receive would depend on the severity of the offenses committed against them, as determined by the board. There would be a point system to determine this.

The appropriations committee also recommended that the board be augmented by a secretariat composed of Commission on Human Rights personnel.

Quezon Rep. Lorenzo Tañada, a coauthor of the compensation bill, said earlier the measure was intended to recognize the heroism and sacrifices of Filipinos who were victims of summary execution, torture, involuntary disappearance and other human rights violations during the Marcos dictatorship, and to restore their honor and dignity.

Cojuangcos killing land reform, group says

₱10B to fund scholarships for the poor

Navy officers want indictment junked

'Cover-up'

First attempt

Pre-need firm to continue paying claims

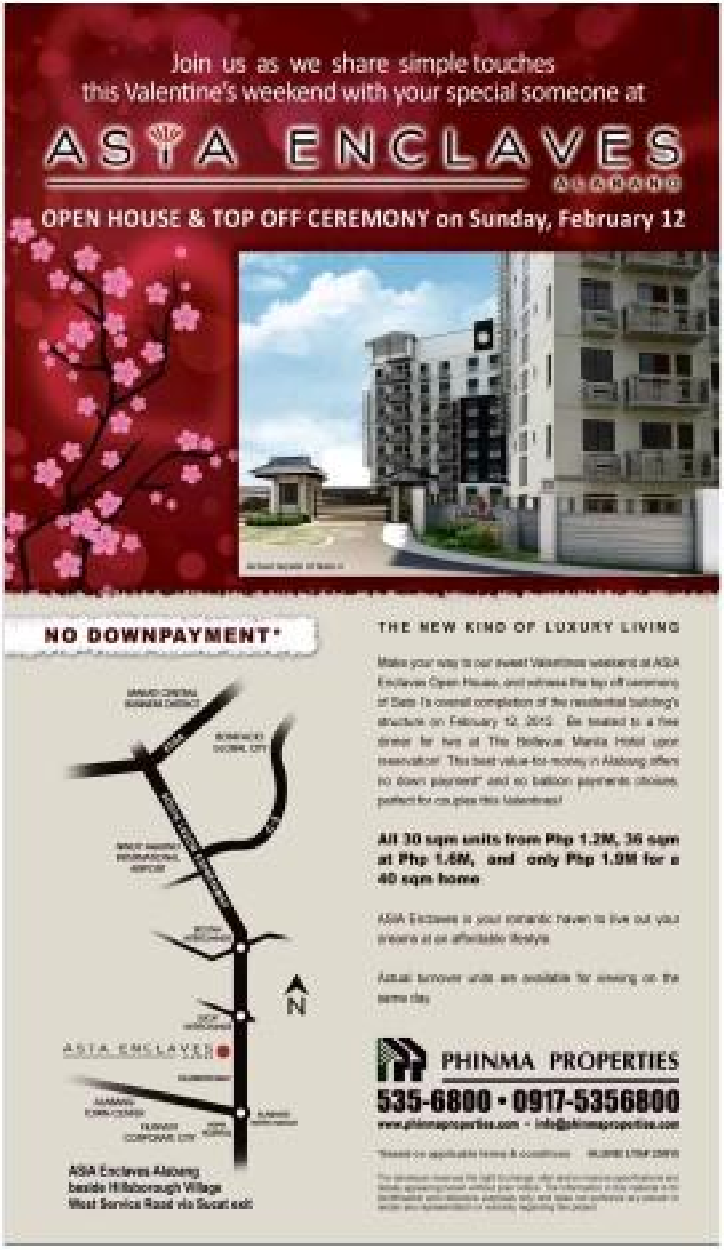




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The Daily Gospel

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P-Noy invites Fil-Chinese traders to invest in tourism

By Christine O. Avendaño



Postal bank's transport loan scheme hailed

Ex-gov gets bail

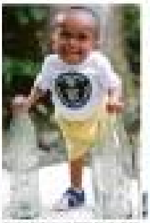
More women engaged in drug trade–PDEA

By DJ Yap

Watchlist

Quake-hit areas get free calls

Pinoy about to lose world's shortest man title to Nepali





No love for little man

Hoping for fame

Symbol of power, desire

Treated as a toy

Air balloons dazzle

Tourism show

Helping poor students

Riding the balloons

Like a cake

DA honors country's top rice achievers, grants P100-M agri projects, cash prizes

Early planting scheme







2011 Rice Achievers' Awards

(Parangal sa mga Bayani ng Palayan)

Top 10 Provinces

Top 50 Cities/Municipalities

Top Agricultural Extension Workers

Top Irrigators' Associations

Judge lets GMA stay at Veterans hospital

FORMER President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo can continue to stay at the Veterans Memorial Medical Center in Quezon City as her doctors said she still needed continuous treatment and therapy for various ailments.

Pasay Regional Trial Court Branch 112 Judge Jesus Mupas gave the order on Thursday but he required her doctors to submit a monthly report on her condition to the court.

Mupas also directed the doctors to submit the monthly expenses of Arroyo at the hospital after the prosecution and lawyers for the Commission on Elections expressed concern that her hospital bills might be high.

Across the NATION

DENR closes 94 wood firms in Caraga

BUTUAN CITY—The Department of Environment and Natural Resources has shut down 94 of 119 wood processing firms in the Caraga region in connection with the department's implementation of President Aquino's executive order banning commercial logging nationwide.

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NOT A GAME SHOW

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Use of Aurora as illegal log transport route scored

CITY OF SAN FERNANDO— [illegible]

Thousands flee homes as flooding hits Dapitan

[illegible]

Mayor dies 5 days after gun attack in N. Ecija

CABANATUAN CITY— [illegible]

Recount keeping Davao Sur political rivalry alive

DIGOS CITY— [illegible]





THE POLITICAL [illegible]

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"THE STENCH IS OVERWHELMING" But Army soldiers continue search and rescue operation in Barangay Solonggon, La Libertad. And they are not giving up hope.

3 virtual ghost towns as terrified residents refuse to go home

By Aie Pal, Nestor P. Burgos Jr. and Connie E. Fernandez
Inquirer Visayas

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Stores closed

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Food, water needs

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Runaway prices

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Application till Feb. 17

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Rescuers led by the nose to find survivors

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Double counting

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State of calamity

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Relief goods

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Corona in a no-win situation

AS I SEE IT

Neal H. Cruz

Rules are not made to be broken

PASSION FOR REASON

Raul C. Pangalangan

Senate, SC on collision course

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Amando Doronila

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Rina Jimenez-David

Questions on Rizal's love life

LOOKING BACK



Ambeth R. Ocampo

Culture of safety

PINOY KASI



Michael L. Tan

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'GG' no longer poor man's fare

LETTERS

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Midas refutes 'false suppositions' in WB loan

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Cuevas caught lying with straight face in his denial of PDI report

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Disagreement

Balancing act

How they voted

'Positive note'

Velasco's inhibition

Throwing the gauntlet

Brazen effort

SC, Senate court equals, says Bernas

By Jerome Aning and Norman Bordadora

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BSP probing CJ bank record leak; how did prosecution get it?

'Small lady'

$ dollar accounts

INC-led rally cheers up tearful Chief Justice

By Jaymee T. Gamil

No rally permit

'Attendance sheet'

SPORTS

Miñoza, Pucay, Hong a shot off six leaders



Frankie relishes 'my biggest PH Open'



MIÑOZA



Ikeda debuts as pro with 68, shares lead



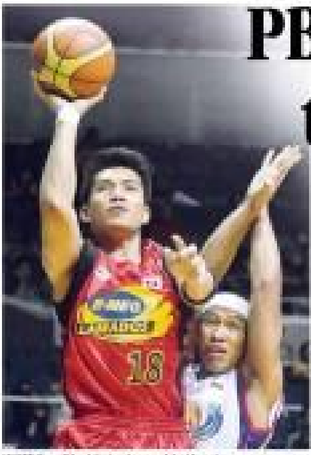
Letran netters zero in on finals

Patrombon kicks off PH Cup bid with Huey



PATROMBON

PANGAEA CUP
C. Lhuillier eyes third straight title



PBA 'big import' tourney opens

La Salle battles Ateneo in ASSL

PFF, ABS-CBN seal TV pact

Parker fires up Spurs; Magic cool Heat run

Whatever happened to Elorde reform bill?

CLEAN LIVING



Hope Christian spikers still clean

Pasay derby slated


PBA
COMMISSIONER'S
CUP
PANIBAGONG LABAN. TULOY ANG KAMPIHAN!
SOL TRAIN
SOL MERCADO
SPIDERMAN
ARWIND SANTOS
THE LIEUTENANT
LA TENORIO
EL GRANADA
GARY DAVID
THE THRILLER
WILLIE MILLER
THE RAIN MAN
REN-REN RITUALO
THE BLUR
JAYSON CASTRO
THE SPARK
MARK CAGUIOA
BIG GAME
JAMES YAP
THE LEE-THAL WEAPON
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Aplus METRO
Editor: Joseph Voltaire L. Contreras

Did you know

THE LATE playwright and writer Severino Reyes, popular for his "Lola Basyang" stories, was born in Sta. Cruz, Manila on Feb. 11, 1861. He wrote about 20 zarzuelas and 22 dramas in his career and was known as "the Father of the Tagalog Zarzuela." In "Lola Basyang," he retold foreign folk tales as well as local legends like "Mariang Makiling." He died on Sept. 15, 1942. *Inquirer Research*



Porsche-driving clerk stripped of gun license

PNP cites road rage incident caught on cam

By DJ Yap

THE MAN with the hot temper and the hot wheels now stands to lose his hot guns.

The Philippine National Police (PNP) on Thursday revoked the gun licenses of a Porsche-driving customs clerk and his companion who were accused of beating up and shooting at a student in a traffic altercation along the South Luzon Expressway (SLEX).

Senior Supt. Raul Petrasanta, acting chief of the PNP Firearms and Explosives Office, said the licenses issued to Bureau of Customs (BOC) employee Paulino Elevado and businessman Florencio Bato were revoked following an investigation of the Jan. 21 road rage incident.

Revoked were Elevado's license for his .40-caliber pistol, which was confiscated during the incident, and Bato's papers for his .45-caliber, Petrasanta said.

"(Elevado) cannot reapply for a new license unless he is exonerated of the charges," Petrasanta told reporters in Camp Crame.

Elevado and Bato allegedly mauled a 20-year-old student, who was then driving a Toyota Innova, during a traffic altercation, and then shot at the student's vehicle as he drove off.

The incident was caught on security cameras on SLEX. Elevado and Bato face charges of frustrated murder and physical injuries.

After missing work on the days following the incident, Elevado surfaced and faced BOC chief Ruffy Biazon on Tuesday denying he owned the Porsche. He claimed he was merely serving as an agent for its sale.

Unconvinced, Biazon ordered Elevado's suspension pending a lifestyle check on the employee who supposedly receives a monthly salary of just around P9,000. Elevado was said to have driven a 2006 Porsche model which sells for P5 million.

Petrasanta said Elevado and Bato's licenses were revoked effective Feb. 1.

PNP Director General Nicanor Bartolome also revoked their permit to carry firearms outside of their residence.

"It is PNP policy to cancel or suspend gun ownership privileges issued to licensed firearm holders involved in criminal cases especially when the gun is believed to have been used in the crime," Bartolome said in a statement.



PAINFUL CUTS Connie Hina (left), mother of UP Diliman student Lordei Camille Hina who was recently robbed and stabbed on campus, joins other students in a rally to protest cuts in the UP budget which has led to inadequate security inside the university.





Hit-and-run victim's sister seeks help in finding suspect

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Parts of Metro hit by brownouts as power plants trip in Batangas

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18-yr-old suspect in Maguindanao massacre moved to youth home

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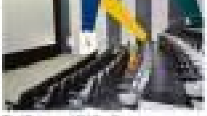
SM City Olongapo Opens February 10











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The WORLD

Russian drilling reaches lake long trapped under Antarctic ice

Violence in Maldives spreads after 'coup'



NASHEED

Japan, US seek to strike new deal on Okinawa base

TOKYO—Japan and the United States on Wednesday said that they were renegotiating a 2006 agreement aimed at removing 8,000 Marines from Okinawa, because the current terms have stalled their long-delayed departure until progress can be made on relocating an important Marine air station on the island, a chronic underlying irritant in relations between the two countries.

WorldBriefs

69 dead in Syria; UN eyes observer mission

Daughter presses UN to probe Gadhafi death

Top China graft-buster visited consulate, says US

India upgrades its military with China in mind

Tibetan sets self on fire in China


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MAG-LOAD NANG MAG-LOAD!
TIPID-SULIT TOGETHER!

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- SMB plans P20-B bond offering /B2-1

SM confirms $1-B Ortigas buyout deal

But faction holding right of first refusal seen to be deal-breaker

THE COMPANY of the country's wealthiest man Henry Sy Sr. is poised to become the dominant property developer with a $1-billion bid to acquire a majority stake in the Ortigas property group.

SM CONFIRMS B2

BSP approves establishment of 126 new bank branches

BSP B2

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Share prices close down

Philippine Stock Exchange

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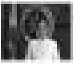
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MESSAGE



"Say not in grief he is no more but live in thankfulness that he was."
Proverb

Faustino Barredo Agrava

"Tito"

October 17, 1923 – February 8, 2012

Peacefully passed away in the grace of our Lord at the age of 88.

Beloved father and grandfather, and a loyal friend to many. **Tito** was once a member of the University of the Philippines and the Philippine National basketball teams, and served as USAFE President.

He is survived by his children, **Valerie, Lea, Marciano,** and **Joanna Alexandra**; and grandchildren, **Ivan, Kalid, Clarisse, Dino,** and **Honey**.

His cremated remains lie in state at La Funeraria Paz, Sucat Road, Parañaque City, and will be set in his final resting place after the 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Jerome Church, Alabang, Muntinlupa City, on Saturday, February 11, 2012.

Pious readers, relatives and friends are requested to pray for the eternal repose of Tito's soul.

FIDEL CIELO SUN

April 24, 1929 - January 31, 2012

peacefully passed away in the grace of our Lord at the age of 82.

He is survived by his loving wife, Loreta.

Children: **Francis & Marifiel Sun, Faith & Victor Vergara, Frankie & Steve Wilkerson, Florence & Jerry Bondoc and Fredian & Laurel Sun**

Grandchildren: **Jessica, Frances & Michael Sun Jerrica, Justin & Jason Vergara, Patrick, David & Hannah Wilkerson and Ryan, Allison & Lauren Bondoc**

His remains will lie at Christ the King Parish Church Greenmeadows from Feb. 11-13. Interment will be on February 14, 2012 at Manila Memorial Park, Sucat, Parañaque after the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life.
John 3:16

We Remember Lovingly and Dearly

ISIDRO "ROY" HOJAS ESCANO

of Cagayan de Oro City

ON HIS 10th DEATH ANNIVERSARY on February 10, 2012

Masses will be offered today, FRIDAY, February 10, 2012 at the following Churches:

GREENHILLS MEMORIAL PARK, Butua	[illegible]
SAN VICENTE FERRER, Cagman	[illegible]
SAN ISIDRO LABRADOR, Cavo	[illegible]
JESUS NAZARENO PARISH, [illegible]	[illegible]
OUR LADY OF FATIMA, [illegible]	[illegible]
OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL, Carmen	[illegible]
SAN AGUSTINE CATHEDRAL	[illegible]
SAN ANTONIO DE PADUA, [illegible]	[illegible]
STO. NIÑO PARISH, Cagan	[illegible]
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, Butua	[illegible]
CARMELITE MONASTERY, Bulahan	[illegible]

His, his relatives, request the friends and pious readers to join to pray for the eternal repose of his soul.

An obituary with a picture can be a fitting tribute to your departed loved one.

Always caring...
Inquirer Obituaries

OBITUARY REQUIREMENTS:
- Copy of Death Certificate
- Any identification document (I.D.)

WE ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS and Bank-to-Bank payments

Dr. Lydia Reyes-Almoro

73, passed away Monday February 6, 2012 with her family by her side in Cubao, Q.C.

Widow of the late Atty. Ruben A. Almoro, she is survived by her children Stella, Sophia, Ruben, Sonia and Samuel and in-laws Joey, Jake and Ang; her grandchildren Stephanie, Jessica, Isabelle, Ria, and Antonio; her brother Ruben and sister Araceli.

Her remains lie in state at La Funeraria Paz Chapels E. Aranda Avenue, Quezon City.

Interment will be on Sunday, February 12, 2012 at La Loma Cemetery, Manila.

More Classifieds on pages
Municipality of Quezon B2-3
DOLE Region IV-A B2-3

Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for My sake will find it.
Matthew 10:39

CLASSIFIEDS

Republic of the Philippines
Province of [illegible]
Municipality of [illegible]

OFFICE OF THE BAC CHAIRMAN

INVITATION TO BID

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Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR

INVITATION TO BID

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Republic of the Philippines
BIDS & AWARDS COMMITTEE

INVITATION TO BID

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

INVITATION TO BID

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Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT
National Capital Region

NOTICE OF FILING OF APPLICATION/S FOR ALIEN EMPLOYMENT PERMIT/S (AEP/S)

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ERRATUM

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The public is hereby informed that Antoni T. Dumlao, Civil Engineer Contractor, a single proprietorship registered with DTI has been converted to a corporation under the name of A.T. DUMLAO CONSTRUCTION, INC. approved by the SEC on Jan. 20, 2012 with Company Reg. No. CS201209848.

PAREXGROUP

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
Department of Education
CITY SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DASMARIÑAS

Invitation to Bid for CY2012 Basic Educational Facilities Fund - School Building Program - Cluster 1 to 9

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

HEALTH/FITNESS

HOUSEHOLD

CONDO/TOWNSE

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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CARS

TRANSPORTATION FOR RENT

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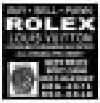
GENERAL ITEMS FOR SALE

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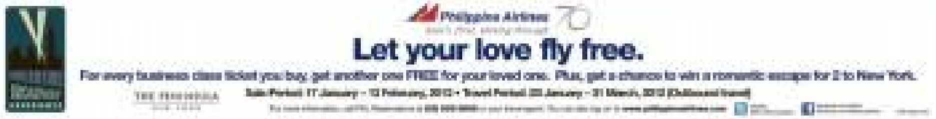
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES






RED LETTER DAY!
Biggest Shoutout of Thanks!
FEBRUARY 12, 2012
Join us in our biggest thanksgiving celebration and
enjoy these amazing deals in all of our Avida sites nationwide!
• Get as much as P500,000 discount*
• Down payment for as low as 5%, maximum loan of 95% through bank partners
• Move in at 5% down payment for all Ready-for-Occupancy units
• Special discounts and promotions await!**
Get Tunog Natin CDs and Gift Certificates when you purchase any Avida property on this day!**
PLUS
Catch us in our Red Letter Day series of events in these malls and
be part of our campaign to build a community of thankful Filipinos!
February 10 – Greenbelt 3 Park
February 11 – Trinoma Activity Center
February 14 – Bonifacio High Street
February 18 & 19 – Mini events in Solenad 1, NUVALI and Alabang Town Center
Participate in the following activities and get a chance to win special prizes!
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Business



Uniqlo opening first PH shop in June

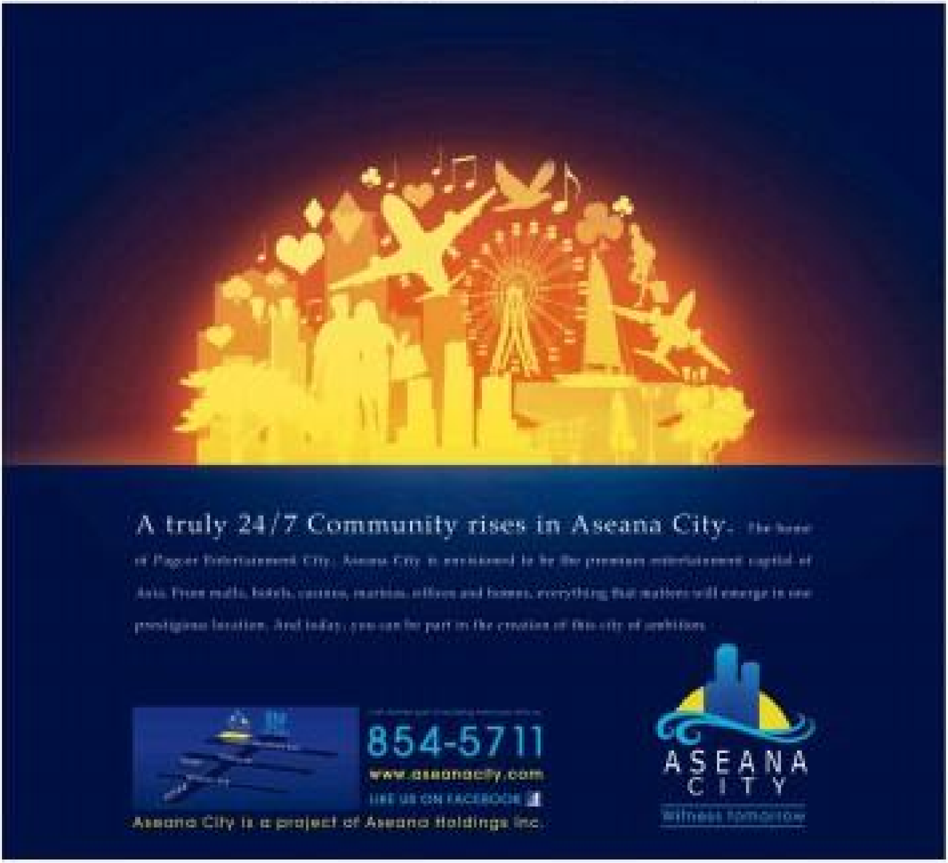
By Amy R. Remo

SMB plans P20-B bond offering

Firm refinancing P13.6B worth of maturing obligations

By Doris C. Dumlao

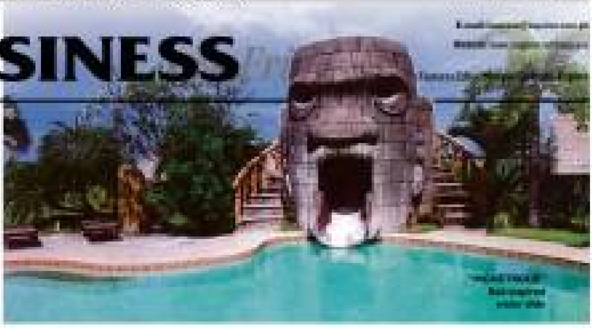




Marketing Buzz

Business





How to successfully run a resort











'How can marketing stop school's declining enrollment?'

Marketing Rx

Dr. Ned Roberto & Andy Roberto

Entertainment City seen key to gov't tourism thrust

Complex to boost number of hotels by 72%

By Daxim L. Lucas

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Dissolution of corporations

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One Meralco Foundation thanks Maliwanag ang Pasko participants

Christmas outreach donations, number of beneficiaries exceed targets



For adding more meaning to the 2011 "Maliwanag ang Pasko" (MAP) campaign, One Meralco Foundation (OMF) is grateful to Meralco customers, employees, and business partners who shared their effort and resources to make the annual Christmas outreach a resounding success.

The foundation was pleased to announce that total donations for the MAP drive has [illegible] exceeded P1.4 million and [illegible] pledged from corporate and SME partners.

OMF's appeal for people to post photos of Christmas-inspired lighting in homes was also met with an overwhelming response from the public which submitted more than 1,200 pictures online.

These developments prompted OMF to add 100 more beneficiaries to the initial target of 1,000 grade school pupils who will be sent to school when classes open in June. On top of that, the foundation will also facilitate the installation of solar panels to energize the schools, support the repair of some school facilities and will donate books to the school libraries among several initiatives.

All the student beneficiaries are from the six public elementary schools in Isla Verde in Batangas City – [illegible] Elementary School, San Agustin Kanluran Elementary School, San Agustin Silangan Elementary School, San Antonio Elementary School, Liponpon Elementary School and San Agapito Elementary School.

OMF President Jeffrey O. Tarayao, who is Meralco's chief Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) officer, has expressed satisfaction at the outcome of the 2011 Christmas drive.

"We know at least a thousand children who will be facing a brighter tomorrow because their fellow Filipinos cared and [illegible] with the objectives of the MAP campaign," he said.

"There is so much that we can do in Isla Verde and in other similarly situated villages where rural electrification and education are a must for communities to move forward," Tarayao added.

He also thanked MAP partners Ayala Group of Companies and Rustan's World Hotels as well as suppliers that include [illegible], Philippine Trinity Vehicles, Inc., Meralco Industrial Solutions, Inc., Green Vector Ventures, Inc. and Alternative Modern Transport Inc.

Tarayao is optimistic that more stakeholders in Meralco franchise area will benefit not only from the yearly MAP campaign but also from OMF's ongoing projects, and that more Filipinos will be inspired to share with those who have less. Giving, after all, is not a seasonal gesture.



Meralco officials led by president Manuel V. Pangilinan (2nd from left) and chairman Manuel M. Lopez (2nd from right) join Ms. Universe runner-up and Meralco Ambassador of Light Shamcey Supsup in lighting the Meralco component during the MAP 2011 launch. Also joining them are Meralco SVP Al Panlilio (extreme right) and One Meralco Foundation president Jeffrey Tarayao (extreme left).



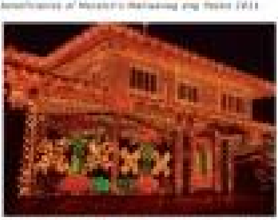
Students of [illegible] Elementary School in Barangay San Andres of Isla Verde, Batangas City are some of the beneficiaries of Meralco's Maliwanag ang Pasko 2011



The glittering lights of a barangay [illegible] neighborhood in Pasay City capture the spirit of MAP.



Mother and child behold a special Meralco parol as Christmas nears.



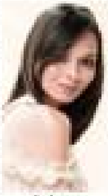
A brightly lit home that took part in Meralco's MAP drive to send 1,000 less fortunate children to school.

LIFESTYLE Fashion & Beauty



How to develop your clothing personality

But first, tips to get to know yourself. Look into your closet for clothes that are so 'not you'



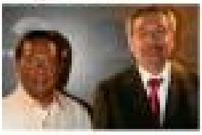
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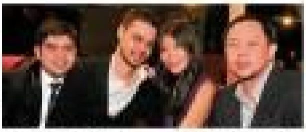
























Education campaign launched, Buddha Bar now in Manila

WITHOUT BATTING AN EYELASH

Maurice Arcache



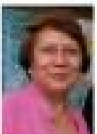














Great Seair

"Mamma Mia"







How to develop your clothing personality







No strict rules



MONICA Bellucci



KATE Moss





TICKING in [illegible] leather, P5,475

LITA in dark-brown [illegible] leather, P5,475

Find fashion-forward shoes at Fashion Forum

EVER SINCE cult shoe label Jeffrey Campbell hit our shores, Fashion Forum at the SM Department Store has become the go-to destination for stylish gals who know what sole searching is all about.

Jeffrey Campbell has emerged as the footwear of choice of fashion nomads globally. This 11-year-old brand from the heart of Los Angeles has grown, changed, evolved and expanded over the past years to bring its statement shoes to top boutiques in Europe, Asia, Canada, Australia, New Zealand and now, the Philippines.

Jeffrey Campbell remains a small family owned fashion-forward footwear label that creates fast-paced footwear for the woman on the go. Its inspiration comes from the everyday woman, the girl on the street, the lady on the subway. With an eye for detail and close attention to concept and design, the collection is known for edgy, creative, gravity-defying footwear.

Fashion Forum has brought in a meticulously edited selection of styles—fun loving Litas and Foxy Woods, edgy classic elegant lined booties, and eye-catching So Much and So Crazy platforms and wedges. New styles are expected to come in the next few months.

The Jeffrey Campbell collection is available exclusively at Fashion Forum, the multi-brand boutique inside the Ladies Section of SM Makati, Megamall and Cebu.



MARY Lou in nude suede, P5,475

MARY Rose in [illegible] perforated suede, P5,475







FOXY Wood in Cheetah, P5,475

PAM Chin in tan suede, P5,975



SO MUCH in natural jute and dark-brown suede leather, P5,975

Doctors are sexy

By [illegible]
Contributor

MEET TWO top doctors in their respective fields of specialty. First, the top dentist, Catherine Anne T. Chio DMD, MDS, whose does the best, painless, trauma-free root canal and then Dr. Aivee Teo Aguilar who is dermatologist to high society. Today they model and show us the private ladies they are. Their fashion fix just like any professional, with their seductive choices in dress and accessories and poses, they prove that doctors, too, can be sexy.

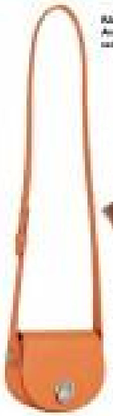
Call the doctors at [illegible]







LEFT: On Dr. Aivee Teo—[illegible] polka dot long sleeves, [illegible] Heritage black trousers. On Dr. Catherine Chio—[illegible] Heritage Violet [illegible] jumpsuit. Top: On Dr. Chio—Diane Von Furstenberg printed jersey wrap dress. On Dr. Teo—Diane Von Furstenberg printed multicolor wrap dress.

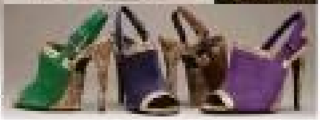












VALENTINE GIFT GUIDE

Hot bags, chic gems, striking accessories

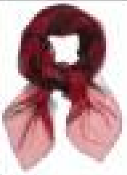








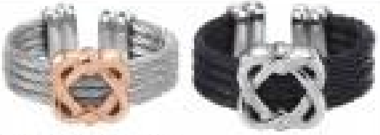








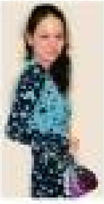






The doctor (bag) is still in

Ingrid Chua-Go



THE BAG HAG DIARIES

Here are five winning versions of this popular and highly functional bag style












BVLGARI

That beautiful face on the billboard



LUCY Hale, Bench's newest endorser

Bench's latest endorser is a 22-year-old

[illegible]



HALE and Bench CEO Ben Chan



Don't wear red lipstick on date night, or he might not kiss you

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'Just shoot us'

[illegible]



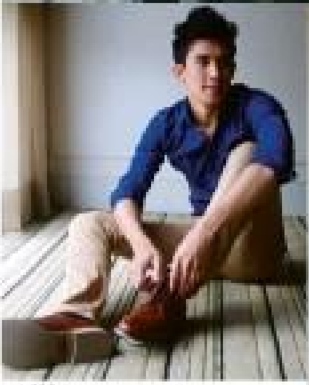
Sunny attraction

Romantic hues



Sweet effect

Chocolates and flowers are a snooze. The real fun of Valentine's Day is wearing your heart on a trendy sleeve. Here's a guide to romantic fashion in this season's sweetest pastel hues



Cool blues



Soft pales



Easy pairings

Blushing, blooming stripes











PWU alumni reunion

WHAT'S UP

Science Week

Two shades for one

Valentine offering

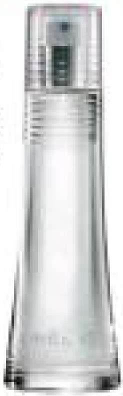


Shamcey in full bloom

By Luis Carlo San Juan

2011 Miss Universe Philippines Shamcey Supsup gets ready for a romantic evening, donning the sweetest looks of the season and wearing the freshest of scents from Avon





Love is in the air

La vie en Rose















Discovery Valentine's

WHAT'S UP

Seven Suites

Don't wear red lipstick . . .



LIFESTYLE Fashion&Beauty

For Valentine's—how about grooming products for your man?

KNOCKOUT!



Ria Francisco-Frida



Hayden Kho

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FOR VALENTINE'S E2

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CONCEPTIS SU DOKU

HOW TO PLAY SU DOKU

Conceptis Sudoku By Dave Green

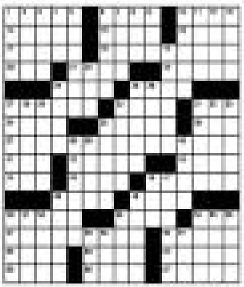
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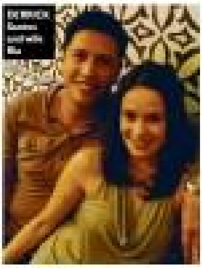


For Valentine's—how about grooming products for your man?



Joseph Jaico and daughter Lily

Joseph Jaico



Derrick Santos



Christian [illegible]

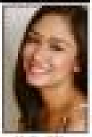


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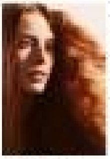
How to fight frizzy hair and prevent whiteheads

Regular hot oil treatments can help bring hair back to life

Tricks of the Trade

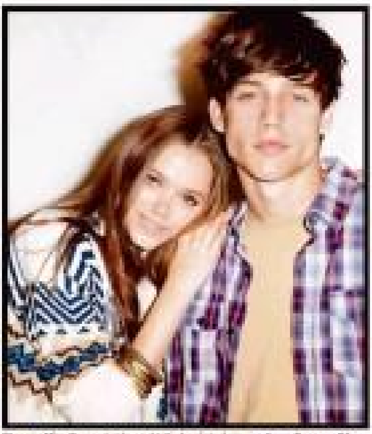


Kelly Misa



Dead skin cells

FOREVER 21's DATING STYLE DIARIES



Classic Mix. Cozy plaids and tribal-printed pieces from Forever 21.

Whatever your dream destination is on Valentine's Day, you'll fall in love with Forever 21's stylish essentials for a romantic date.

If you're spending a weekend of love away from the maddening crowd, Forever 21 has fab finds for a trip to the cool mountains, or sun kissed days on the beach.

Forever 21, which has come to the Philippines through a partnership with the SM Retail Group, had a phenomenal opening of its flagship store at SM Megamall in 2010. One of the fastest growing and most successful apparel lines in the U.S. offering the latest fashion trends at the greatest value, Forever 21 continues to extend their reach in the Philippines with the opening of more stores at SM Makati in the Central Business District in early 2011 and at the Northwing of SM City Cebu late last year.

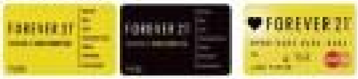
With a fast turn-over of inventory that reflects the ever changing moods of fashion, Forever 21 has exciting, eclectic lines – Love 21, Heritage 1981, Forever 21 Girls, Forever 21+, and 21 Men. The store also has a wide collection of Shoes, Accessories and Intimates.

The stylish set gets more shopping fun and exclusive privileges at Forever 21 when they shop using Forever 21's most essential accessory, the Forever 21 Mastercard. Apply for the card by visiting the Forever 21 store as well as BDO branches. The application form can also be downloaded at www.bdo.com.ph.

The fash set can also score on more fashion ammunition as they shop with their friends with Forever 21 Gift Cards in P1,000 and P2,000 denominations. These Gift Cards are also perfect to give away to your shopping buddies on any occasion.

Forever 21 stores are located at the Second Level of SM Megamall A, Ground Floor of SM Makati in the Central Business District, and at the Northwing of SM City Cebu. You can also follow Forever 21 on www.facebook.com/forever21ph and www.twitter.com/forever21ph.

GRAB ONE NOW!



CABIN FEVER

Love is in the air as you … meets the world? Enjoy the great outdoors or just snuggle up in your cool mountain cottage in a fun mix of cozy knits, cords, cards, and plaids with a touch of tribal prints.



For HER



1. Heart-printed cardigan.
2. Tribal-printed shirt.
3. Corduroy pants with belt.
4. Tribal-printed scarf with fringe.
5. Red body con skirt.
6. Suede booties.
7. Sling bag.

For HIM



1. Tribal-printed hoodie.
2. Plaid Attack. Button-down woven shirt.
3. Tribal prints highlight this canvas and leather backpack.
4. Suede laced-up ankle boots.

ISLAND DELIGHT

Be happily marooned on an island in cool, easy pieces from Forever 21. You'll be stylish in the beach and beyond with a fun [illegible]



For HER



1. Floral printed one-piece swimsuit with shirring.
2. Heart printed skirt with gathered waist.
3. Citrus Delight. Orange-red skirt with belt.
4. Lightweight racer back.
5. Nautical shorts.
6. Slim belt.
7. 2-tone tote.
8. Ankle strapped stacked wedge.
9. Grass thongs.
10. Laser cut bangle.
11. Retro-inspired sunnies.
12. Woven hat with flower appliqué.

For HIM



1. Striped V-neck shirt.
2. Woven button-down with 2 breast pockets.
3. Havana woven polo layered on a graphic tee.
4. Roll up trouser-fit blue denims.
5. 2-toned belt.
6. Striped scarf.
7. Brown laced-up loafers.

LIFESTYLE



Single yet happy

Singleness on Valentine's Day doesn't have to be lonely; it's just a matter of perspective, say these young ones



By Kidlean Ardin

Blessed while single





Objects of *affection*

Show some love with his and hers statement tees, paired pillows and matching coffee mugs



POPOBE Year of the Tiger doll



EMERGENCY wedding bag

TEXT MESSAGE mug







Sharing blood, *giving life*

"The most beautiful realization about the blood drive was that people could reach a whole new level of giving—they somehow saved the lives of people they didn't even know"







What it's like

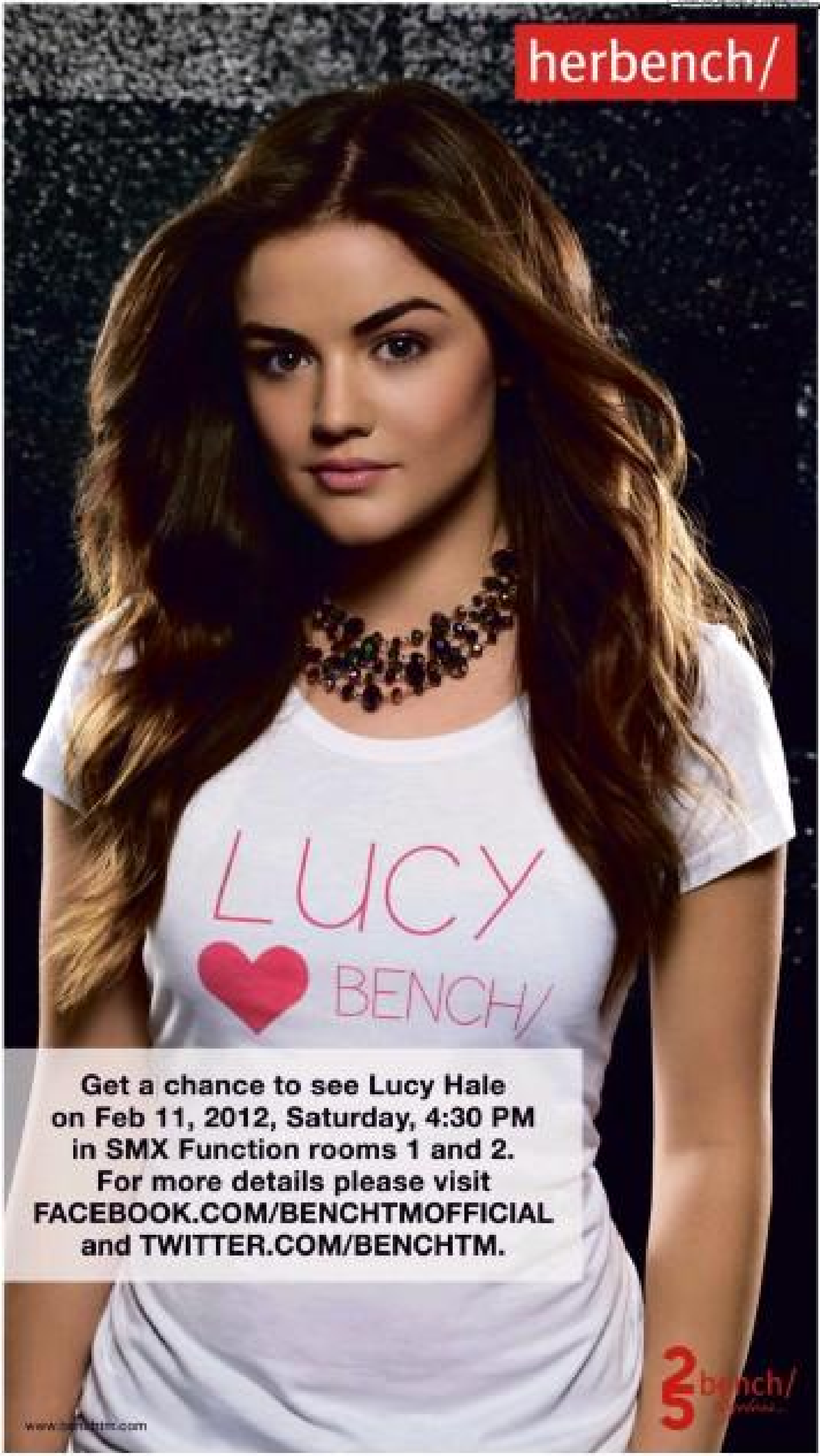
Giving blood is not scary

Happy birthday, Sir Jun!

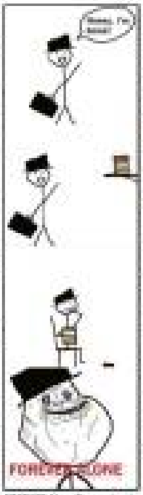
A former student pays homage to a much-loved educator



Actively participating


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Get a chance to see Lucy Hale
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Single yet happy



Assess your heart, not just activities

ENTERTAINMENT

Back to the Grammys



CHOOSE YOUR Valentine SHOW

'Singing keeps me alive'

'Seasons of Love'

'Up Close and Romantic'



RACHELLE

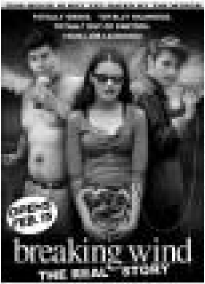
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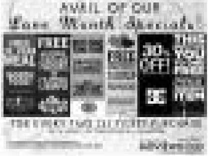
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'R-18' films stricken off Cebu fest lineup









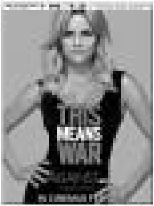





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NOW SHOWING
DANIEL RADCLIFFE
THE WOMAN IN BLACK


THIS MEANS WAR

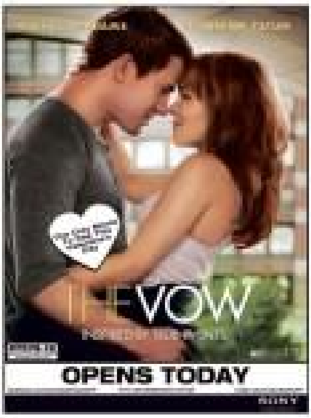

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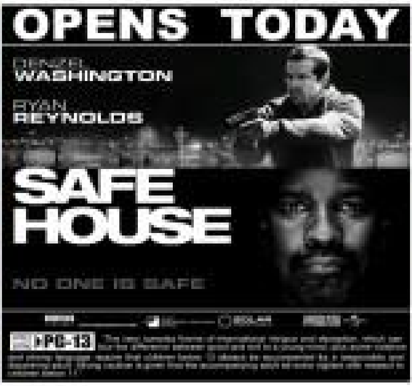

NOW SHOWING
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Singing...

ENTERTAINMENT

Tribute to Oscar-winning designer

Eiko Ishioka's advice to Pinay assistant: 'If something is burning inside you, don't be afraid to burn others with it'

ONLY IN HOLLYWOOD



Ruben V. Nepales





Tribute...

Tribute to Oscar-winning...











